

# The Grimsby Independent

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## WILL ENFORCE FRUIT REGULATIONS

Canadian National Express Co. Notifies Shippers That Leno Covered Baskets Will Only Be Accepted For 14 Points, In Less Than Car-load Lots — Help Shortage And Train Delays The Reason Why.

Last week fruit shippers in the Niagara Peninsula were notified by S. O. Martin, General Superintendent, Central District, Canadian National Express Co. that a certain schedule regarding the shipping of leno-covered fruit baskets, this season must be strictly adhered to. The instructions as issued by the Express Co. are as follows:

"To facilitate the fruit handling, speed up fruit train operations and avoid difficulties and delays experienced in the past, the following regulations and instructions must be adhered to:

1.—"Shippers must state at the beginning of the season what station they wish to forward from, and their traffic will not be accepted at other stations."

2.—"Fruit shed space will be marked out for the larger destinations and shippers will place their shipments in such allotted spaces according to destinations, after same are properly addressed for forwarding."

3.—"Shipments will be accepted up to thirty minutes before scheduled departure time of train, as shown on notice displayed on fruit platform."

4.—"Leno covered packs will only be accepted for L.C.L. movement to the following points: Toronto, Barrie, Orillia, Huntsville, North Bay, Peterboro Lindsay, Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Ottawa, Cornwall, Montreal, Quebec City, and shippers must provide their own racks for piling these leno covered shipments on fruit shed platform."

5.—"Particular care must be given to addressing. In former (Continued on Page 7)

## Would Build Weirs

A resolution was passed by the Saltfleet township council recommending to the Federal Government that it undertake the construction of proper weirs and breakwaters along the shores of Lake Ontario bordering on the township of Saltfleet. A large acreage has been washed away during the last few years and they feel that it is a federal responsibility which that Government should assume to protect citizens and ratepayers.

## A Grimsby Peach



Leading Airwoman Virginia Hewson, R.C.A.F. (W.D.) only daughter of William A. and Audrey Hewson and granddaughter of ex-Mayor and Mrs. Arthur Hewson. She was before enlisting was Life Guard for the Lions Club at the bathing beaches. She is now stationed at Aymer, Ont.

## New Prexy



Wm. A. Hewson will occupy the President's chair of the Advertising and Sales Club of Hamilton for its thirty-third season, having been elected to that position by the Board of Directors at its first meeting of the season. Mr. Hewson has been a member of the Club for seventeen years and for seven years has served as a Director heading up many important committees.

## No Appeals For Court of Revision

North Grimsby Assessment \$1,638,966 — Exempted Lands And Buildings \$129,823 — Grimsby Beach Assessment For \$98,000 — Population 2,058.

At June session of North Grimsby council on Saturday afternoon, Assessor Gordon Metcalfe returned his Roll for 1944. Total assessment of the township is \$1,638,966, which is \$3,129 of a decrease over 1943, due to the Deer Park Club house being turned over for hospital purposes. Lands and buildings in the township with an assessed value of \$129,823 are exempt from taxation, they being schools, cemetery, hospital, churches, hydro lines and highways.

Grimsby Beach property has an assessed value of \$98,000, being made up of buildings \$63,950; land \$32,050. Population of the township is placed at 2,058. At the Court of Revision held previous to the council meeting there were no appeals against the assessment which bespeaks for the good work of Assessor Metcalfe.

Council will pay the expenses of the Assessor to attend the Ontario Assessor's convention at Toronto on June 21st, 22nd and 23rd.

West End waterworks in May consumed 185,000 gallons while the East End used up 552,000 gallons.

During 1943 North Grimsby pupils attended Grimsby High school for a total of 11,185.5 pupil days.

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## Feeds Birds On Sugar And Water

A. C. Price Has Family of Eight Robins And Seven Humming Birds — Missed One-Legged Robin.

Last week we told you about the one-legged robin that spends his summer vacations with the Edw. Hend family at the lake. And how last year he only appeared once or twice during the summer. The reason for his short stays last season was because he was vacationing most of the time at the home of A. C. and Mrs. Price, Robinson street south.

When "AC" read in The Independent about this robin, he called to tell us that he had missed him this year and had wondered what had become of him, as he was a great pet around the Price home last year.

At the present time our genial telephone manager has a family of eight robins and seven humming birds partaking of his food daily. He feeds the humming birds sugar and water and is thinking of applying to Mayor Johnson for an extra sugar ration.

## Business Is Slow; Council Speedy

Newspaper Boys Have a Tough Time keeping Up To Mayor Johnson And Council And At Same Time Be Able To Get Enough Copy To Make a Story — Will Ask Corp. Woods Of Provincial Police To Again Interview Canada Coach Lines Officials Re Main Street Congestion — Chief Turner Will Get a New Rain Coat.

Town council was not productive of very much real news last night, but the newspaper boys had to be on their toes to get what there was, for Mayor Johnson and council were doing business in real invasion style. In 32 minutes after the reading of the minutes, council put through a tremendous lot of general and routine business as well as producing a little copy for the news hounds.

Mayor Johnson brought up the matter of the congestion created on Main street by the Canada Coach Lines buses and council as a whole concurred with him. At the July 15th, 1943 session of council, Corp. Charles Woods of the Provincial Police submitted a report, whereby he had interviewed Canada Coach Lines officials, and they had agreed to make a readjustment of the arrival and departure of east and west buses in Grimsby, so as to allow at least five minutes difference in the schedule between east and west bound vehicles, just as soon as a change in time was made.

His Worship expressed the opinion that the time table had been changed but the variance in time between the arrival and departure of east and west bound buses had not been changed. On the suggestion of Mayor Johnson, council will ask Corp. Woods to again interview the Canada Coach Lines officials regarding this matter.

Reeve Lothian was late in reporting for duty and Councillor Phelps was absent, out of town on business.

A letter of thanks was received from N. J. M. Lockhart, M.P. in answer to a letter forwarded to him at the time of the death of his daughter, by Clerk G. G. Bourne.

Lions Club were granted use of Municipal building on the nights of their carnival, July 13th - 14th. Application of Mary Simak for (Continued on page 5)

## Will Ask Province For \$10,000 For West Lincoln's Hospital

Representatives From All Over District Believe That Government Should Help To Complete The Propagation, As It Fits Into Their Plans.

\$30,000 On Hand

Project Must Be Rushed To Completion At Earliest Possible Date — Need Is Becoming Greater Every Day.

To a representative gathering on Sunday afternoon, June 11th, of citizens from Winona, North Grimsby, Grimsby, South Grimsby, Beamsville, Jordan, Vineland, Smithville and surrounding country the President of West Lincoln Memorial Hospital reviewed what had been done, the present position, and future plans for the West Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Approved plans by the Department of Health were submitted for inspection, together with a reprint of a Report by the Academy of Medicine of Hamilton on Hospital needs for Hamilton and surrounding districts which includes this (Continued on Page 7)

## Five Quid Hangs In The Balance

Corp. Johnny Farrell And "Buddy" from Smithville Argue Over E. V. Hoffman Business — Johnny Loses.

B3060 Cpl. Farrell, J.C., 4 Cds Arm'd Troop W/Shop, RCOO Cdn Army Overseas. May 23, 1944.

Dear Bones: Hi Boy, remember me? I'm the guy that used to sit the type in the wrong cases, my the rollers, annoy "Dyke", get in everyone's way, and generally make a nuisance of myself. Remember now?

Anyway Bones, this is kind of off the record, unofficial, and just between you and I, at the idea? Since you're the recognized village historian, what have you, I'd appreciate it you'd settle a little controversy at arose between myself and other chap in this Unit. (Who, by the way, hails from Smithville, but won't admit it; and who can blame him?)

We were discussing the thriving metropolis of Grimsby at noon today, when he mentioned something about "Hoffman's thing store". I couldn't recall having ever heard (Continued page 7)

## Our Naval Hero



LT.-CMDR. H. S. RAYNER, D.S.C.

## "Dad" Farrell In Cattle Business

Held The Lucky Ticket Which Won "Kammy's Kow" — \$288 For Cigarette Fund — Thanks, Jack Puddicombe.

Once upon a time, when he was a little tad, "Dad" Farrell owned a goat. Now he is the proud possessor of "Kammy's Kow", his ticket being the lucky one that Mayor Edric S. Johnson plucked from the box at Moore's Theatre on Saturday night last. Bet two bits he don't know how to milk her.

Just what "Dad" is going to do with his royally bred Hereford heifer so generously donated to the Cigarette Fund by Jack Puddicombe of Winona has not as yet been determined. Never having had any desire to be a cowboy, even of the drug store variety it is rather doubtful if he will keep the bovine, but rather will dispose of her to the highest bidder and no doubt donate a good share of the proceeds to some or several of our war charities.

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## New Teachers For Town Schools

Mrs. Jean Jones, Niagara Town And Miss Evelyn Maxwell, Kirkland Lake Engaged By Board Of Education.

Board of education last Wednesday night set high school teachers' salaries at \$1,600 minimum and \$2,300 maximum with allowance for experience. Salary increase to be \$50 a year for first two years and \$100 a year thereafter until maximum is reached.

P. V. Smith, high school principal, now receiving \$3,000 per year with \$100 bonus, asked that his salary be set at \$3,100 minimum with maximum \$3,500, increase to be at rate of \$100 per year. This was taken under consideration by board members and a decision will be announced later.

Salaries of assistant teachers at the public school were recently set at \$1,600 minimum and \$1,800 maximum, increase to be at rate of \$50 a year.

Mrs. Jean Jones, Niagara-on-the-Lake, was appointed to high school staff at a salary of \$1,600, replacing Miss Mary Stock, resigned. Miss Evelyn Maxwell, Kirkland Lake was appointed to public school staff at \$1,600.

P. V. Smith informed the board that 33 high school students are now employed full time at farm work and 10 are on part time. Six others have left school to accept other work and three have enlisted during present term.

Under terms of an agreement which the chairman was authorized to sign, the local Lions Club donates instruments for the color bugle band, said instruments to be long to stand as long as it functions, after which they revert to Lions Club. The board is to keep instruments in repair as far as their grant provides and is to provide instruction for the band.

## H.M.C.S. HURON SINKS HUN CRUISERS

Under Command Of Lieut.-Cmdr. H. S. Rayner, D.S.C., Tribal Class Destroyer Makes Things Hot For What Is Left Of Hitler's Navy — Was Youngest Captain At 30 — Been In Service 13 Years.

Lt.-Cmdr. H. S. Rayner, D.S.C., of Grimsby, commander of the Tribal class destroyer, Huron, which shared in the destruction of two German destroyers and damaged two others off the coast of France last Friday, was Canada's youngest destroyer captain at the age of 30.

That was in July, 1940, when he took command of H.M.C.S. St. Laurent, after 13 years' service in the navy. He left Ridley College at 17 and went to England to begin his naval studies at Davenport aboard H.M.S. Erebus. Upon graduation he was assigned to H.M.S. Revenge of the Mediterranean Fleet, one of six midshipmen chosen from his class.

He took another course at the Royal Naval College, Greenwich, and then joined his first Canadian ship, H.M.C.S. Champlain. Later he joined H.M.C.S. Skeena and was promoted to staff headquarters after two-and-a-half years' service.

In March, 1941, he was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross "for courage and enterprise in action against enemy submarines." H.M.C.S. St. Laurent, under his command, was under attack at St. Valery during the evacuation of the British Expeditionary Force and also aided in the rescue of 350 survivors of the torpedoed Andora Star.

Born at Clinton Ont., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rayner, he attended Grimsby public school. He was married in 1936 to an English girl and they now have two sons. Mrs. Rayner resides in Halifax.

H.M.C.S. Huron is the third of her line in the Royal Canadian Navy, following Iroquois and Athabaskan. She is regarded as one of Canada's best equipped warships.

## Real Estate

Mr. Nicholson of Toronto has purchased the Southey property at 13 Elizabeth street. Mrs. Stewart will continue to reside there, occupying the upper portion of the house.

Andrew Prythika of Toronto is the purchaser of the Mrs. Charles Mabey brick house and large lot at the corner of Ontario and Clarke streets.

## In The Fight



Corp. John Walter Hills, R.C.A.F., youngest son of Gordon O. and Mrs. Hills, Paton street. Former well known Peach Bush hockey player. Born, raised and educated in Grimsby. Enlisted from High school. Has been overseas three years and two months. A brother, L.A.C. Lorne Hills, is also serving in the R.C.A.F.



# Mainly For MILADY

## Girls At Liberty To Pinch

British regulation of prices do not permit U.S. soldiers in England to get stung but the authorities could not keep them from being pinched for not wearing oak leaves on the last day in May. It seems that the girls are at liberty to pinch all males who do not wear oak leaves on that day. These commemorate the escape of Charles I from Cromwell's soldiers in 1651, by hiding in an oak tree. As few U.S. soldiers knew of this custom, most of them were liable to the pains and penalties attached to its non-observance. Combined with Leap Year privileges, it gave girls an excuse for striking up an acquaintance with the visitors whose marriage record in England, though not as high as that of the Canadians, is still considerable.

## Fingers Don't Lie

There's a theory that figures don't lie and there's a book that says that fingers don't lie either. The author, Joseph Ranald, declares that his digital method is a better guide to character than palmistry or graphology. Long fingers, he says, denote patience, system, order, ambition, neatness. Short fingers indicate haste, lack of caution and emotionalism. Butter fingers are, of course, a sure proof of a tendency to drop things. Thick fingers publish the fact that their owner is a materialist and thin-fingered people are, on the Ranald theory, dreamy and idealistic. Finger-tips are as much a give away as knuckles. Oval tips go with sentimentalism and square tips match prognathous chins and other signs of aggressiveness. People who do not wish to betray their inmost secrets through their finger tips should wear gloves in public and keep away from manicure girls.

## Waging War On Inflation

Never in the history of Canada have women been called upon to do more—and never in the history of our nation have women been able to do so much.

In the fall of 1941 when prices were rising . . . nothing to really scarce you—but every time you came from town and went over your bill you noticed a cent here, two cents there, maybe five some place else, and all on common items such as sugar, rice, bacon, flour . . . yard goods, oilcloth.

It didn't really add up to so much, you told yourself . . . war always made prices go up. But after putting your groceries away, you didn't feel quite so good about it. What if it kept up; where would it stop?

Other people were watching those prices too, and they could see what was happening. Inflation was setting in—deadly, as smallpox, bitter as charity bread, as hard to whip on the home front as armoured tanks and fighter squadrons on the battlefield.

It was then—in the fall of 1941, that action was taken to stem the tide. And now the women of Canada can look back, after more than two years of reasonably happy going, for it took every mother's daughter, fighting tooth and nail, to keep that ceiling on, to keep prices level. And may it be said, to their eternal credit, that in the fifth year of war, the cost of living index has risen only a little over three per cent since the price ceiling was clamped on.

But when our soldiers take a hill they have to hold it, and some times holding is almost harder than the first grim struggle. And Canada's battle against inflation isn't over, not by a long shot. "But what would happen if inflation, that we've worked so hard to hold back, did capture the hill?"

Our money would lose its value. The munitions of war, high explosives, depth charges and anti-aircraft shells would cost a lot more. Precious war savings would shrink, maybe out of sight; the allowances of soldiers' wives and children, life insurance, soldiers' pensions—all would go down in value.

Canadians everywhere must continue to wage war on any up-hill trend in the cost of living whether in food, on clothing, on house furnishings or even farm machinery. The outcome of the fight against inflation depends on every Canadian—in the city, on the farm.—Edna Jacques.

## FLOOR FRESH SCRUBBED AND SINK'S BACKING UP!



**POUR IN GILLETT'S!**

No reason to get excited when drains clog . . . if you have Gillett's Lye handy. Just pour in, and bingo! The greasy mess clears right out! Water runs freely again.

This tip-top, powerful cleaner will save you endless drudgery. Whisks away dirt and grease without hard scrubbing. Deodorizes garbage pails. Destroys contents of outside closets. Gets everything it touches clean and sweet in a jiffy. Don't wait to learn the many ways Gillett's will help you "take it easy." Get some today.

Never dilute in hot water. The action of the lye is lost in the water.

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## Extra Cover For Ironing Board

Have you an old-fashioned ironing board that gets grimy when some member of the family stands it first on one white end and then on the other in your broom closet, so that there is never a clean end for ironing the shoulders of that white blouse? Toss heart, for there is a satisfactory solution right at hand. Unearth one of those old cretonne curtains you discarded because they were faded, or a four-foot section of that percale you were always sorry you bought at the sale. Cut it the shape of your ironing board, with about four inches to spare all around. Make a one-inch hem. Put in a generous drawstring, which you will probably want in exchange for 1/4-inch elastic after the war. Draw it snugly over your clean white ironing board. Afterwards it will be safe in any position in the broom closet. Merely insist that the members of your family who use the ironing board form the habit of replacing the outer cover every time before the board is closed. They will be glad to co-operate, as the hastily begrimed ends have been bothering them too, and now they have pretty nearly a guarantee the white shoulders of blouses will iron white.

A man is an animal who would rather play golf to exercise than to push a lawn mower.

Waxed paper for household use may be produced only in rolls of 100, 200 or 300 feet in future, according to an announcement by the Prices Board.

Starting the first of June retailers of men's women's and children's clothing and furnishings will be required to put a price tag on every article displayed for sale.

## THE MIXING BOWL

By ANNE ALLAN  
Hyd. Home Economist



Hello Homemakers! Strawberries are the star of the berry family. They are perishable though and should be treated wisely. Use strawberries as soon as possible after gathering or purchasing, and don't wash or hull them until just before using. It is wise to spread the berries on a platter and keep in the electric refrigerator.

No need to mention the delight of strawberries served 'au naturel'—whole, unhulled berries served with sugar and cream. No sugar and cream? Here are two worthy substitutes which our folks think flatters the flavour of the fruit. The first is made by beating sufficient milk into cream cheese to make a sauce just thin enough to pour; for the second, beat creamed cottage cheese flavoured with orange juice with a rotary or electric beater until smooth, adding enough top milk to make it a 'pour' sauce.

Grown ups get as excited as children over strawberry ice cream. If its homemade you have all the glory. We're including two good frozen desserts in the column.

Now when it comes to strawberry shortcake, don't be hide-bound by tradition! We admit that there probably is nothing better

than the old-fashioned version—warm, light-as-a-feather biscuits, split and heaped with crushed, sweetened berries—but a slice of delicious butter cake makes a pleasant change. And instead of the usual cream, serve with the whipped cream cheese.

In your enthusiasm for strawberry shortcake, don't neglect strawberry pie. Our favourite is made this way: select the choicest berries from one quart box and cover the bottom of a baked pie shell. Crush remaining berries and heat to scalding point; strain through cheesecloth; add water to make two cups liquid. Blend two-thirds cup sugar with one-quarter cup cornstarch; add liquid and cook in double boiler until thickened; add one tablespoon lemon juice, one teaspoon butter and a few drops of red colouring; cool, then pour over berries in pie shell. Serve with a little whipped cream or whipped cheese.

If you want to make a similar pie with gelatin, use the above procedure except soaking a tablespoon of gelatin in one-quarter cup cold water and dissolve it in the hot juice, omit the cornstarch and chill until syrupy, then pour over berries. Let stand for one-half hour

in a cool place.

**STRAWBERRY MOUSSE**  
1 box strawberries, 1/2 cup sugar, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1 cup cream.

Clean and crush berries with sugar, add lemon juice and fold in whipped cream. Pour into freezing tray and freeze until firm. Stir at end of first hour (the control should be set at the coldest point one-half hour before mixture is put in).

**STRAWBERRY MALLOW**  
Crush two boxes of berries, add six tablespoons sugar and a dash

of salt; heat until sugar is dissolved, add 40 cut marshmallows and stir until they are melted. Pour this mixture into electric refrigerator freezing tray and let stand in freezing compartment overnight. In the morning, whip two cups cream, add to strawberry mixture and beat well. Pour back into freezing tray, set control at coldest point and freeze until firm. Stir once at end of first hour.

A small town is the one where there isn't a motorcycle for them to give a dignitary an escort.

**BRIGHTEN THE MEALS WITH BISCUITS**

**MAGIC BAKING POWDER**

**MAGIC ORANGE MARMALADE BISCUITS**

2 cups sifted flour  
1/2 tsp. salt  
4 tbsp. shortening  
4 tbsp. Magic Baking Powder

1 egg  
1/2 cup milk  
1/2 cup orange marmalade

Mix dry ingredients together. Cut in shortening until mixed. Beat egg slightly in measuring cup; add milk and marmalade to make 1/2 cup and add to first mixture. Roll out about 1/4-inch thick; cut with floured biscuit cutter. Top each with a little marmalade; bake in hot oven (425°F.) about 15 minutes. Makes 16.

**MAGIC FOR SATISFYING FLAVOR!**

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# For PEACE Sake! . . . PITCH IN!

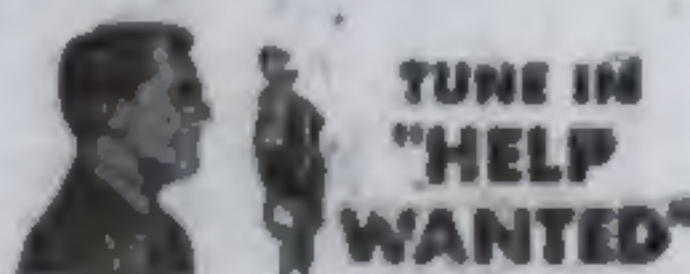
## You must HELP!

Hay will be ready to cut within the next week or two. It is an absolutely vital crop—one of the heaviest in years.

Help is needed immediately to save the hay crop

Offer your services today to the Farm Commando Brigade in your town or city.

The need is here, right now.



A.C.B.C. pro-union production with the co-operation of the Ontario Farm Service Force

EVERY FRIDAY 7.30 P.M.

C.B.C. NETWORK  
Starting from April 7th



## "LEND A HAND" ON THE FARMS

Every citizen of Ontario must face the unpleasant fact that Canada's stockpile of grains, dairy products and vegetables . . . of which we had a great surplus four years ago . . . is almost exhausted. For four years, Canada has been a "storehouse of food" for her Allies. She must continue to fulfil heavy obligations to them. But the supplies in the storehouse are gone. They must be replenished. Otherwise, Canadians on the Fighting Fronts . . . and at home . . .

are likely to be faced with the prospect of short food rations.

**THIS YEAR** the crops on Ontario Farms give promise of the heaviest yields of grain, hay, vegetables and fruit in years.

**BUT THEY MUST BE HARVESTED AND SAVED . . . AND THIS IN SPITE OF THE MOST ACUTE SHORTAGE OF FARM WORKERS IN OUR HISTORY.**

## EVERYONE MUST HELP!

**JOIN** The Farm Commando Brigades, the Holiday Brigades, Business Men's Groups, Service Club Groups, Neighbourhood Groups, or one of many other organizations, that are preparing to help. For three years such organizations have supplied thousands of volunteers to Save Food for Victory. **This Year Many Thousands More Volunteers Are Needed.**

## PLEDGE YOUR SERVICES NOW

Register your name, by mail or in person, with your nearest Selective Service Office, or with any of the Groups listed above which operate in your town or city, or with The Ontario Farm Service Force, Parliament Buildings, Toronto or with your nearest Agricultural Representative. **For Peace Sake—PITCH IN! Lend a Hand on the Farm.**

**DOMINION-PROVINCIAL COMMITTEE ON FARM LABOUR  
AGRICULTURE—LABOUR—EDUCATION**

# Social Events ★ Personals ★ Organizations ★ Club Activities

Pte. "Bud" Elmer, Camp Borden was home over the weekend.

Frank Lawson of Toronto spent the weekend with relatives in town.

Harold Headip and family have moved into their recently purchased home at 7 Nelles Boulevard.

Martin Senko, of York, Neb. visited last week with his aunt Mrs. Edw. Norton, Kidd avenue.

E. V. Hoffman, former Grimsby resident, now living in St. Catharines was a visitor in town last week.

Charles and Mrs. Teeter, Niagara Falls, N.Y., were visitors with James and Mrs. Gowland, Oak St., on Sunday.

E. S. Hudson, editor of The Lincolnian, and a former editor of the Beamsville Express was a visitor to Grimsby on Saturday.

Capt. Cressy, Chief Recruiting Officer for Hamilton and district and Pte. Cottingham of the C.W. A.C. were visitors to Grimsby on Friday last.

L.A.C. Bill Fellows spent the weekend with his parents and has now returned to his station at Malton after convalescing at Ancester for the past month.

Mr. James Neale of Edmonton, Alta., brother of the late Robert Neale, and Mr. Carr of Regina, Sask., spent the weekend with Mrs. Robt. Neale and family, Fairview Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hildreth of Vinemount were given a surprise party Saturday evening, in honour of their 25th wedding anniversary. They were presented with a silver tea service. Those attending from Grimsby were Tom and Mrs. Fern Cecil and Mrs. Hildreth, John and Mrs. Stadelmeier, Mabel Stadelmeier, Cliff and Mrs. Dryden and Marie.

## Gospel Hall

Adelaide St., Grimsby

### LORD'S DAY

Breaking of Bread 11 a.m.  
Sunday School 3 p.m.  
Gospel Meeting 7 p.m.  
A number of young men from Hamilton will take part in this meeting.

Wednesday  
Prayer Meeting and Bible Reading, 8 p.m.  
— All Welcome —

## Trinity United Church

W. J. WATT, B.A., R.D., Minister.

SUNDAY, JUNE 18th, 1944  
11 a.m. — The Sifting of Peter.  
7 p.m. — In the year that King Uzziah died.  
Sunday School, 2.30, Trinity Hall  
Sunday School Picnic on June 21st, note change of date.

## DINE and DANCE at

**Taylor's Autotel**  
EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT  
— Admission 35c —

## MILLYARD'S DRUG STORE

Home of Quality Drugs  
**PRESCRIPTIONS**  
Carefully and Accurately Dispensed by Graduate  
Druggists C. D. Millyard  
Mrs. E. Gordon Stationery  
Cosmetics . . . Magazines . . .  
Developing and Printing

Cory Tom Warner, R.C.A.F., Ottawa was home for a few hours on Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Warnop, Winnipeg, Man., is visiting with her sister Mrs. Jas. Gowland, Oak street.

Ernie Mason and Bert Simms took in the Magna Charta parade and festivities in Niagara Falls on the weekend.

Signalman A. D. MacMillan, R.C.N., was a flying visitor with his wife Joyce and mother-in-law Mrs. Geo. Warner on Sunday.

Miss Phyllis Godfrey of Hamilton was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jewson, Grimsby Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coupland, and Miss Betty Cook of Toronto, were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Blanchard.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McKennie were in Toronto on Wednesday attending the funeral of Mrs. McKennie's sister, Mrs. Frederick W. Maul.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark and son Billy of Ottawa, Mrs. Drake and Mrs. Kelly of Burlington, were visitors of Roy and Mrs. Smye, Fairview Farm.

Jack Griffith who has been in the Alaska Highway country for the past two years is visiting his mother, Mrs. H. K. Griffith, Grimsby Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Duprey of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Read of Groene Lake, Mich., attended the funeral of their brother, Charles A. Read over the weekend.

Milan Krick and family have moved to Niagara Falls, Ont. to reside. Their apartment in the Cole Apartments will be occupied by Provincial Constable and Mrs. Priest.

Robert and Mrs. Dalby, Simcoe, spent the weekend with Mrs. Thos. Clarke, Fairview avenue. "Bob" renewed acquaintances with a lot of his old "buddies" of the first Great War.

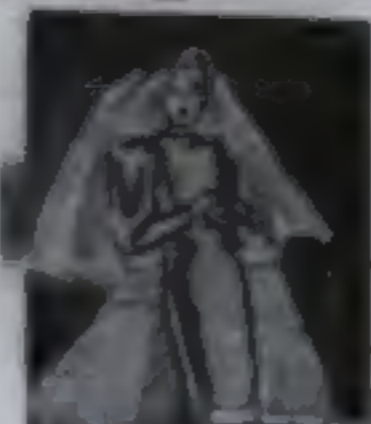
Mr. J. C. Dafeo, Robinson St. S., left today for Sudbury and Fort William. While at the lake head city, he will attend a Dominion convention of the Canadian Order of Foresters.

Mrs. Fred Jewson is in Toronto attending "speech day" at St. Hil-da's School, Etimdale, which will be held in Toronto this year, at the Junior School. Miss Audrey Richardson will return home with Mrs. Jewson, accompanied by another British war guest, for a two weeks' holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glessner, Main St. East, have won their seventh consecutive game of bridge in competition for the trophy presented by the White Elephant Shop in support of the Cigarette Fund. This entitles them to hold the trophy permanently, but they have generously returned it to the White Elephant Shop in order that it may continue to bring in money for the Cigarette Fund.

While attending a wrestling match at the stadium on Tuesday evening, Dr. Frances Robertson had the misfortune to fall between two planks receiving a bad cut to her leg. She was given first aid at the stadium, and then removed to the General Hospital, where it was found necessary to close the wound with four stitches. Mrs. Robertson was attended by Dr. Lester Hamilton.

## Nuptials



### BARTLETT-MUIR

The United Church paragon, Grimsby, was the scene of a quite but pretty wedding, on Saturday, June 10, 1944, when Allison Lambella (Alice), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Muir, R.R. 1, Smithville, became the bride of Harley Willis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bartlett, 80 Ontario St. Grimsby. Rev. W. J. Watt officiated.

The bride wore a two-piece dress in sunni-blue rayon reple, with white flower hat and white accessories. Her corsage bouquet was of white roses.

Miss Margaret Shute, Smithville, was bridesmaid. Her two-piece dress was of rose rayon crepe, with hat to match and white accessories. Her flowers were pink roses and sweetpeas.

Mr. B. Durham, Grimsby, a friend of the groom, was best man.

A reception was held at the home of the groom's parents, where the guests gathered around a table decorated in pink and white with tall pink tapered centerpieces with a lovely wedding cake.

The young couple will reside in Grimsby.

## Births

WATT—Pilot Officer J. R. Watt of No. 1 Bombing and Gunnery School, Jarvis, and Mrs. J. R. Watt (nee Vena Gams) are happy to announce the arrival of a daughter, Judith Heather, at Mount Hamilton Hospital, Sunday evening, June 11, 1944.

## Graduated

Three North Grimsby girls last week graduated as Registered Nurses. Miss Marie May, formerly of Grimsby Beach graduated at London.

Miss Nina Pope, daughter of Sgt. Major and Mrs. Pope, Grimsby Beach and Miss Caroline Wilson daughter of Ted and Mrs. Wilson, former residents, graduated at Hamilton General Hospital.

## St. John's W.M.S.

The closing meeting for the summer for the St. John's Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society was held in the Church on June 8th.

Mrs. Hermonston and Mrs. McKennie arranged the program. The topic "Prayer" was taken by Mrs. Wray. The note thought of the meeting was of the invasion, as that was uppermost in all hearts.

Dr. Leach closed the meeting with a short monologue on Psalm 46 and offered prayer for the success of the invasion.

## Navy League News

"Fighting Navy"—Tune in tonight, Thursday, 10 station C.B.L., 9.30 to 10 p.m. for important Navy League news.

Our tag day yielded a total of \$302.10 made up as follows: Grimsby \$232.51; Winona \$40.00; Grimsby Beach \$29.59. A result we are proud of.

Commencing today the 15th of June, Mr. Archie Chivers was charged as Chairman having been appointed by his partners in Toronto. He will be supported by a strong committee. In addition to Mr. Chivers' duties he will continue to act as convener of magazines and bazaar.

We feel sure the community will continue to give us a whole hearted support to the Navy League which is so outstanding.

The retiring chairman wishes to thank the Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Vooges for valuable help during her tenure of office.

## Trinity Service Club

The June meeting of Trinity Service Club was held at the home of Mrs. J. H. MacMillan, who was most generous in opening her home to us on such short notice, so that we might hold the last meeting for the season there.

The meeting opened with Mrs. A. V. Catto presiding. We repeated our Club's Prayer, after which a minute's silence was observed, in memory of our loving member, Mrs. K. Bratton.

After the business at hand was settled, a vote of thanks was moved

by Mrs. T. Light, and seconded by Mrs. W. Keltner, to our charming hostess.

A presentation was then made to Mrs. G. Sinclair as it was her last meeting with us for a while. Mrs. V. R. Farrell presented the gift, with hopes for her speedy return to Grimsby, which we all join her in, and hope she has lots of luck while she is away.

Miss Carol Baxter favored with two piano solos, which were enjoyed by all, after which a lovely lunch was served by Mrs. R. Cloughley, Mrs. D. Beamer, Mrs. C. Farrell, Mrs. R. Clark and Mrs. K. Baxter.

There will be no more meetings until October. Hope you have an

enjoyable summer, all of you, and don't forget those aprons.

## Coming Events

Notices under this heading will be charged at the rate of 20 cents for 30 words, or less. Over 30 words 1 cent per word.

A Strawberry Social under the auspices of Grimsby Chapter No. 195, O.E.S., will be held in the Chapter Rooms, Tuesday, June 20th, at 8:30 p.m. Price 25 cents. Everybody welcome. Come and enjoy a social evening.

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MINUTE OATS	Meine Yellow	1 lb.	24c
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PUMPKIN	Quaker	2 phg.	15c
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# SPORTOLOGY

By Bruce Livingston, Sportologist

## BARBERS SHUT OFF THE GAS

Last Wednesday night at The Bowlway, Art Forester paraded his Barbers to the post for a five furlong event against Doug Hartnett's supposedly unbeatable Gas House crew. When the dust had cleared away the Barbers had trimmed the Gasers in a three straight heats. At no time were the long-time league leading gas bunch really dangerous. In fact at times it did not look as if they had enough gas on hand to boil a cup of water. Barbers on the other hand were not bowling a phenomenal game but were bowling their usual steady game. Big Rahn and the other boys just could not seem to untrack themselves, while the latter slappers were making no mistakes at all. For a team that has been bowling over 3200 for three games for weeks and weeks the Gas House 2723 doesn't look so hot on paper. Art's gang grabbed a three game total of 2,897 to win by 174 points. Here is the sad, sad story in figures, which clearly show why the Barbers are the 1944 champions:

BARBERS			GAS HOUSE		
Hand	167	207	Rahn	194	150
Powell	214	200	C. Shelton	191	186
Kellerborn	167	162	Buckenham	109	125
Tufford	211	244	Girling	206	178
Forester	178	204	P. Shelton	161	274
Beamer	178	104	Hartnett	163	235
	957	988		961	930

## NOW THE BOYS CAN SMOKE

While the Men's Bowling league was making merry at the Inn on Tuesday night the girl bowlers and the strays about town were contributing handsomely to Cammy Millyard's Cigarette Fund. All proceeds taken in at The Bowlway during the evening with the exception of the pin boys pay were donated to the fund. During the evening 105 games were played at 13 cents a piece, which gives the Fund \$12.60. Thanks everybody.

## CUP AND SAUCER WINNERS

Winners in the Cup and Saucer tournament at The Bowlway last week were Genevieve Groff, the high single score with 264 and Frances Betts the high triple with 672. Red MacBride, Mary Norton and other usually high trundlers couldn't make the grade. Who will win the beautiful chinaware this week. Get busy, girls.

## THEY SURE CAN EAT A GOOD GAME

If all the teams in the Men's Bowling league could roll as good a game on The Bowlway alleys as they can eat one around the festive board of the Village Inn, they would all be champs. The boys put the feed bags on at their annual banquet in the Inn on Tuesday night and the winners were all up in the four figures. Capt. Art Forester and his victorious Barber's team occupied the place of honor at the head table and were the recipients of many flowery tributes as well as a nice present per player from Little Whizzer Kamnacher and the Gledhill and Inglehart league trophy from Ald. Inglehart. Hammy Fox, whose high score of 409 for the season, weathered the gale and was presented with the Hewson and Son trophy by Wm. Hewson. The vlands as provided by Messrs. Anderson and Lasatt were partaken of most avidly by the boys and a good time was had by all. Charlie Norman was elected President for 1944-45 and Whizzer Kamnacher will be Secretary and Chancellor of the Exchequer. The executive committee will be Gas Rahn, Ollie Shaw and Ald. John Hewitt.

## BLIND BOWLERS HOLD MEETING

James A. "Jumpy" Jackson, well known Grimsby boy, has forwarded me the following report of the formation of a Blind Bowlers' league which I feel will be of interest to all five pin enthusiasts in this district.

The first Annual Meeting of the Western Ontario Blind Bowlers' League took place in the Gyro Home of the Blind, 7 Blake St., in Hamilton, on Saturday-afternoon, June 3. Delegates from London, Windsor, Kitchener and St. Catharines were present. The delegate from London was Sam Lees; Windsor, A. Sparks and Victor Umbenhower; Kitchener, E. Bess; St. Catharines, W. Terryberry, O. Damude and M. Knechtel.

The growing importance of Blind Bowling had inspired the promoters of the Hamilton Club to form what is to be known as the Western Ontario Blind Bowlers' League. The new officials of the League were elected as follows: President, Chas. Gerrie; Treasurer, James Jackson; Secretary, Mrs. Viola Smith, while the Executive Board elected were Tom Blair, Kenny Young, W. Stanley and Charles Tooth. Added to this group of executives will be the presidents of each bowling club, as and when they are elected by each of the local clubs.

Rules and regulations to control the Blind Bowlers were formulated, the deletion of the "freezing point" determining the handicaps for totally Blind Bowlers, which was formerly 80 pins. The new regulation adopted will allow all totally blind bowlers three-quarters of the pins between 215 and what they actually Lowl. Formerly not more than 80 pins would be allowed as a totally blind handicap. It was unanimously agreed that the teams should consist of five men, and a "sighted" coach. The use of spare bowlers will be adopted by option of individual clubs. The "Westland Trophy Cup," which Hamilton Hurricanes won during the past season, was on exhibition and greatly admired, as well as coveted.

During the past four years the Hamilton Bowlers have battled for honors with the Cameo Club of Blind bowlers, in Toronto and have carried off the coveted cup in these inter-city events three times. The widening interest in Blind Bowling is resulting in many leagues now being formed in Canada, which greatly interests sighted players, whose clubs frequently meet and are often defeated by Blind Bowlers.

## Lions Club Draw Tickets On Sale

Teams Are Now Conducting Sales Campaign — A Full Book Of Tickets Will Cost You \$2.00.

Major Dave Bell, Chief Foo-Bah behind the distribution and sales campaign for the big drawing in connection with the Lions Carnival, on July 13th and 14th, reports that all team captains and team members have been allocated a full supply of tickets and they are now on the highways and byways selling them.

Captains in charge of the various teams are D. E. Anderson, "Sandy" Globe, Father O'Donnell, A. C. Price, C. D. Millyard, Wm. Hewson, Fred Jewson, "Dad" Farrell with a very special, high pressure sales job allotted to "Red" Graham.

The Major has several new and novel sales ideas under his chapeau that he intends springing upon the unsuspecting public within a few days. The prizes for the draws this year are of real value and you better go right out now and buy a full book of tickets, they will only cost you \$2, and you could not spend your money in a better way than to give it to the Lions.

## Dominion Day

OTTAWA, June 13 — The State Secretary's Department, reporting a number of queries from across Canada about the date upon which

Dominion Day will be celebrated, said today that Canada's national holiday will be observed as always — July 1. A number of calendars for 1944 had been printed with the holiday shown on July 3 the first Monday in July. Dominion Day is one of the six wartime statutory holidays.

## Waterworks Idea Before Council

Harvey Walker, of Winona, appeared before Saltfleet council last week, on behalf of a large number of ratepayers along No. 5 highway and Winona road, asking the council to consider the installation of a waterworks system to serve that area and also other parts of the township.

Mr. Walker presented estimated costs of such construction and outlined a plan which he asked the council to consider.

The council expressed themselves as being very much in favour of doing what they could to relieve the water shortage which usually occurs in the summer months in the township of Saltfleet, not only in the Winona area, but also in Stoney Creek and other portions.

The fact that the village of Stoney Creek will not sell any more water to residents outside its boundaries makes it almost necessary that some action be taken as soon as possible. A meeting will be held to meet the proposals of the scheme in the near future.

A dollar in a war bond is worth two in the hand.

## Smithville Scene Of Burglaries

Acetylene welding tanks and burners valued at \$150 were stolen from Ken Awrey's garage, Smithville and an office intercommunication system valued at \$75 was taken from R. E. Book's lumber yard office by thieves who broke in during the early hours of Saturday morning.

The Book office was thoroughly ransacked. A quantity of builders' hardware had been stacked up,

ready for removal, but the thieves apparently took fright before getting it outside. Nothing but the welding outfit was tampered with at the Awrey garage. Provincial Constable Ernest Hart is investigating.

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# CONTINUATIONS

## From Page One

**"DAD" FARRELL**  
"Carmy" Millyard, after whom the heifer was nick named did a great job in conducting the sale of tickets on the animal and we are pleased to report that he secured the fine sum of \$288 for the Cigarette Fund.

To Jack Puddicombe The Independent extends the heartiest thanks for his generosity in donating this heifer to the Fund and no doubt there is many a boy overseas will also give forth his thanks when "Kammy Kow" cigarettes arrive.

**NO APPEALS**  
Councillor Mitchell again brought up the question of vacant land in the township being turned over for reforestation, but like on previous occasions council took no action on the matter.

The following motion was passed unanimously by council: Moved by Mitchell, seconded by Cowan; "That this council go on record as appreciating the remarkable efforts of Lieut.-Commander H. S. Rayner, D.S.C., of H.M.C.S. Huron, in the sinking and putting out of action German destroyers; also to commend all and any actions that our North Grimsby boys have accomplished and achieved in the D Day Invasion. God Save The King."

**WILL ENFORCE**  
Seasons many containers bore partial rubber stamp impression, due to hasty or careless stamping. Other containers bore no address, having been misused by shippers when marking their consignments. These irregularities cause delays in handling and frequently result in shortages to the proper consignee.

The Regulations covering the handling of fruit traffic in leno covered packages as outlined above, are being introduced because of the necessity for correcting some of the conditions which prevailed during the 1943 season.

In 1943 when fruit production was so light, Shippers were unable to assemble car lots and consequently it was necessary to send daily express shipments in less than car lot quantities. For example, a wholesaler in Ottawa who in normal seasons would take a car load of fruit every two days could only be supplied by means of daily express shipments of two or three hundred packages.

In 1942 the C.N. Express Company accepted 420 carloads of Fruit from the Niagara Shippers. These are cars loaded by Shippers themselves and are simply picked up at the various stations by a special train operated for that purpose. In 1943 when Shippers had such difficulty in assembling quantities, only 77 car lots were shipped. This was a decrease of 343 cars.

While the number of car lots decreased, the less-than-car-lot shipments increased very considerably. In 1942, 690,658 pieces were handled in this manner. In 1943, this figure jumped to 1,133,823 packages. This type of Traffic has to be loaded on trains at shipping stations by loading crews supplied by the Express Company. Sufficient help was not available to handle this tremendous increase with the result that schedules could not be maintained.

Delays in operating the trains did not all occur at shipping point. At destination points, lack of equipment and man-power caused such confusion that the entire Operating Department of certain lines was completely disrupted.

Express Company Officials decided that drastic action was necessary and in February of this year announced that they would not accept leno covered packages of Fruit in less than car lot quantities for any destination. This move would, of course, completely disrupt the shipping programme in the Niagara Peninsula and after considering the problem with a committee of Shippers, a compromise was reached. The Express Company fully agreed to continue to accept shipments for delivery only to those points as designated in their original Tariff. These are the fourteen points as listed above.

During the depression years when truck competition was a serious factor, the Express Companies did accept leno covered packages for any and all destinations although in doing so they were acting contrary to their own regulations. Their present action is simply a tightening-up of the rules which have been effective for a great many seasons. Leno covered

packages are the only type affected. Fruit packed in Crates, Hampers, or Baskets with Flat Covers will still be accepted for delivery anywhere.

The new instructions regarding piling and separation of shipments on station platforms are designed to speed the loading of trains and to eliminate delays as much as possible.

Shippers will have to make some adjustments in their programmes to conform with the new regulations. Some hardships will result but it is hoped that an improvement will be effected in the handling of a very perishable commodity.

**FIVE QUID HANGS**  
of the place, so we got arguing back and forth, and finally laid a bet on it.

Now here's what I'd like to know Bones, is there, or should I say has there been in recent years, a "Huffman's Clothing Store" or "Huffman's Gent's Furnishing Store" in town? If you'd enlighten us on that subject, I'd appreciate it very much. We both decided that you were the logical person to settle this, hence this epistle.

That's the story Bones, and five quid is a lot of dough, so how's for a fast answer? That's the bet, five lovely old quid.

Leslie J. ("Jimmy") to you, if I remember correctly) sends along the "Independent" quite regularly, so I get to know all the Grimsby gossip eventually. You certainly have made a wonderful improvement in that paper, Bones, and deserve a lot of credit, it's a paper well worth reading now. My congratulations!!

Still for now, time for me to get back to work. Hope this finds you in your usual good health and geniality. Please give my best to "Dyke" and all the rest, and

thanks in advance for the info requested. I know you'll send it along right smartly.

Johnny.

**ANSWER—E. V. Hoffman**, for several years conducted a cleaning and pressing and gent's furnishing business in the store now occupied by Miss Congdon, Realtor. He was a tailor by trade and came to Grimsby from Smithville. He sold this business to J. H. Culp. He lived on Ontario street. After leaving Grimsby he was in business in several towns in Western Ontario and is now living in St. Catharines where he is Manager of the Tip Top Tailors store. Johnny, Hoffman sold out and moved away from Grimsby, just about the time you were born—Ed.

**WILL ASK PROVINCE**  
action of the counties of Lincoln and Wentworth.

The chairman explained how this undertaking had grown from a small private hospital idea to the present set-up which would provide all the expensive facilities of a larger institution which is bound to follow with the introduction of Government Health policies.

It was further reported that in order to provide for this much more necessary scheme as called for in recent plans, a total of \$50,000.00 would be spent on the undertaking, of which \$30,000.00 in round figures has been lined up from the public.

Dr. Leeds of Smithville spoke at some length on the needs of pushing this project through at the earliest possible moment and showed how this undertaking fits into the general Government plan, and suggested that the Provincial Government be approached to provide \$10,000.00, the public to furnish the balance of \$10,000.00, making a total of \$40,000.00 (including County grant) from the public, which the Chairman thought the public would be able to handle, and the plan was approved. It was further remarked that the hospital being the owner of a \$25,000.00 property plus \$30,000.00 cash this \$75,000.00 undertaking was now 75% up the ladder.

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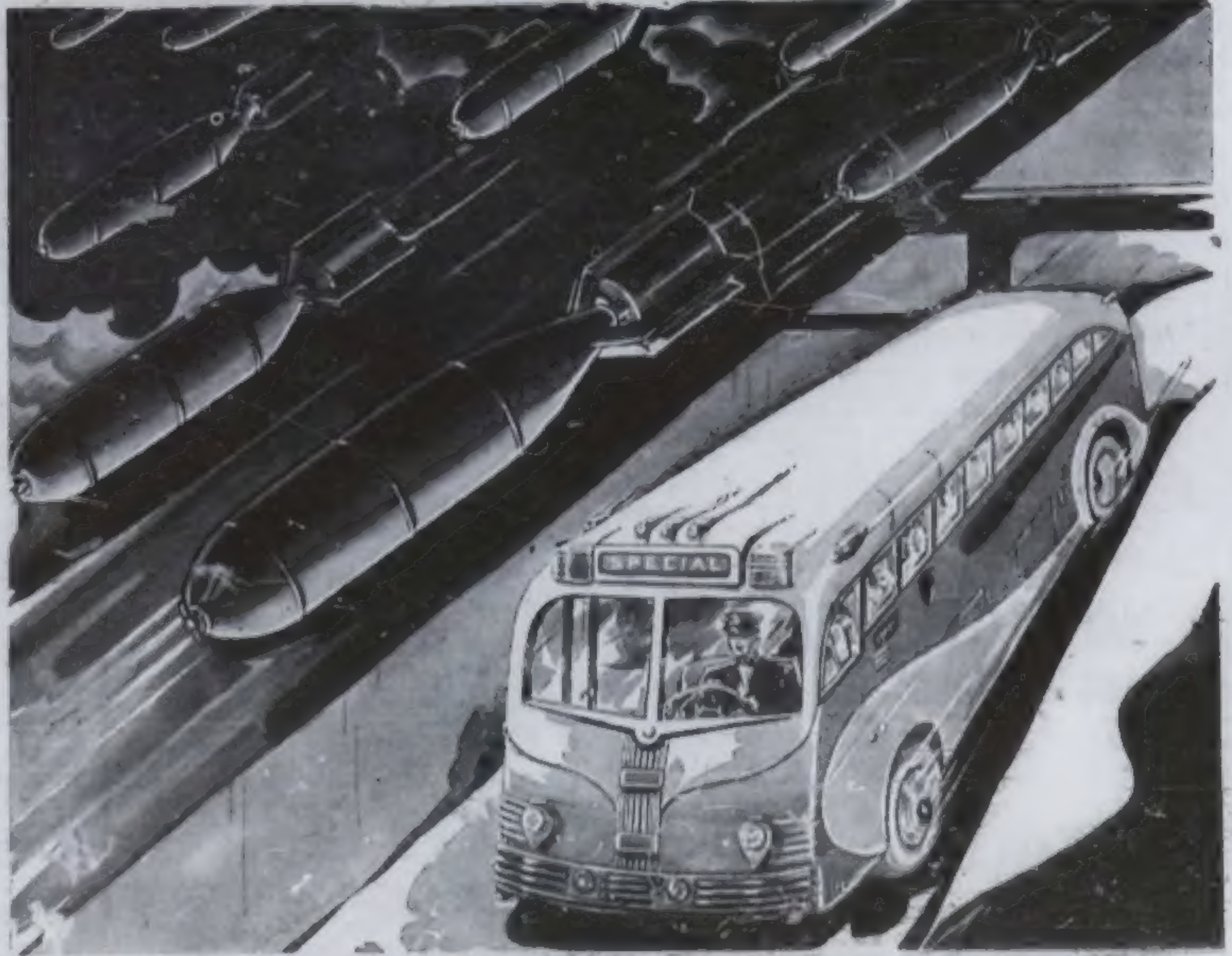
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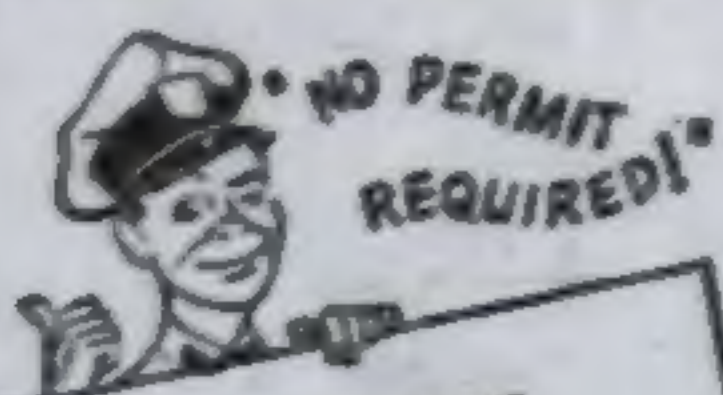
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## BREVITIES

**EVENTS and TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID .....**

Sunday is Father's Day.

Lions Carnival, July 18 & 19.

County Council meets next Tuesday.

Lions Club meets next Tuesday night.

Yum-Yum! Strawberries and cream.

Next blood clinic, Wednesday, June 22nd.

Water Commission meets next Tuesday night.

Next Wednesday—June 21—is the first day of Summer.

Order your coal early—you may not get enough for next winter if you don't.

Canadian Cannery (Corey's factory) have a large force at work processing spinach.

Father's Day is Sunday. Be kind to the Old Man, send him a subscription to The Independent.

Beamsville council are investigating the possibilities of installing a sewerage system after the war.

The historic United Church standing on part of Lundy's Lane battlefield was 150 years old on Sunday.

Niagara Town Hydro Commission has asked town council to raise \$12,000 by debentures for rebuilding purposes.

George Konkle, popular cornet player of Beamsville band has completed 46 years of service with that musical organization.

First home grown strawberries appeared in the A. & P. store on Thursday morning last. Four pints, selling at 23 cents a pint.

Grimsby High School Cadets are leaving for camp Bolton on Monday morning next. They will be gone for 10 days. The bugle band will not accompany the company.

The comeback of the horse has caused St. Catharines City Council to repair the numerous water troughs about the city, many of them out of use for years.

During the month of May there were 90 property transfers in St. Catharines totalling \$244,014. In addition to these there were 17 family transactions at \$1.00 each.

The old service station building on the northwest corner of No. 5 Highway and Nelles Road has been condemned as unfit for human habitation by Dr. J. H. MacMillan, Medical Officer of Health for North Grimsby.

Young Bill Fisher has a small outboard motor boat. To transport it from point to point he has constructed a light two-wheel trailer, with bicycle wheels, which he attaches to the rear end of his bicycle. What next?

Work is progressing favorably on the conversion of the old Anderson home, Main east, into a five apartment house. When finished they will be the equal of any apartments in the peninsula, being roomy, light, and airy and containing all modern conveniences.

A permit is not required by anyone to be engaged in agricultural work and farmers are therefore at liberty to employ without a permit any person who is not otherwise employed. This also applies to persons who are otherwise employed but are available for part time employment in agriculture.

Pte. Marvin J. Hannigan, the first Hamilton soldier to be killed in the invasion of Western Europe, was a son of Ted Hannigan, a former resident of North Grimsby, on the mountain. The young soldier was a nephew of Mrs. Frank Konkle, of Hamilton, formerly of Grimsby.

The equalized assessment figures covering the 15 municipalities of Lincoln County, which were passed by County Council at its May session, have been accepted by the municipalities without appeal, announced County Treasurer W. H. Millward. The municipalities had 30 days in which to enter appeals if they were dissatisfied with the assessment allotted them in this year's county equalization, and after the deadline had passed no municipality had entered an appeal.

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At London last week The Ontario Council of the Blind was formed and the first meeting held. James A. Jackson of Grimsby was elected to the directorate.

A United States motorist, Dent Jenkins, Lockport, N.Y., has handed over to local provincial police a kit bag belonging to a member of the R.C.A.F. who was given a lift by him from the vicinity of London to the Stoney Creek traffic circle on the Queen Elizabeth Way. The airman, when leaving the car, apparently forgot the bag.

Mayor F. O. (Ted) Leeson, of Merriton, last Friday night became a father for the first time. Shortly before midnight last night Mrs. Leeson gave birth to a baby girl at the St. Catharines General hospital. She will be named Mary Jane. Mother, baby and mayor all doing nicely. The citizens of Merriton are expressing their congratulations on the great event.

H. Gladstone Mogg, was home from London over the weekend and

reports that has finished the job of equalizing the assessment of Middlesex County. He now goes back to Canton County to do a special assessing job on buildings erected in the district for war purposes. He expects to equalize the assessment of Oxford.

J. E. O'Brien, consultant of the Management Service Division of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board will give an informal address and conduct a discussion on the significant changes and developments in the various retail trades since 1939, before the Grimsby Retail Merchants in the Municipal hall on Tuesday evening, June 27th, at eight o'clock.

If you come down street some morning and find the front of Theal Bros. store all boarded up don't jump to the conclusion that the Sheriff is in possession. Just open the door and walk in. Business will be going on as usual. The boarding will be there because the whole front is being torn out to be replaced with a new and modern one which will give this mercantile establishment one of the finest fronts in the Fruit Belt.

The Lincoln County Mothers' Allowance and Old Age Pensions Board held its monthly meeting at the County Court House Thursday last and recommended five applications for old age pension. One application was laid over for further investigation. Present at the meeting were Chairman George Hedley, W. H. Sheppard, George Montgomery, Mrs. W. H. Groce, Mrs. Thompson Wilcox, Mrs. Joshua Smith, investigator, and

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